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NATION ON VERGE OF BREAK WITH THE GERMAN EMPIRE OFFICIAL WASHINGTON AMAZED BY LALEST DECLARATION

President Wilson and Secretary Lansing Confer This Morning. Situation Viewed With Extreme Gravity.

GOVERNMENT HAS BEGUN FORMULATING PLANS FOR DEFINITE ACTION TO MEET CRISIS

Whether Government Will Wait for Overt Act Before Determining Recall of Minister Gerard and Handing Passports to Bernstorff is the Pressing Problem.

Washington, February 1.—(Associated Press Dispatch)—After an hour's conference between President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, it became known today that the German situation is viewed with extreme gravity and that the American Government has already begun to formulate definite steps.

There were also indications that no announcement of the course of the Government would be made until certain steps had been taken through the Navy Department and the Treasury for safeguarding American ports and other interests.

Passports for Count von Bernstorff, orders for the recall of Ambassador Gerard, solemn warnings to Berlin that breach of her pledges means severance of diplomatic relations, or tense waiting for an overt act which would sweep aside diplomacy and bring the American Government to the point of action, are among the contingencies which fill the situation today.

President Wilson conferred with Colonel E. M. House, his friend and adviser, who was hurriedly summoned from New York.

Early today he had not called any meeting of the Cabinet, nor any conference with the Foreign Affairs Committee of Congress, who have been assured of being taken into the President's confidence before diplomatic relations are broken off.

Germany's sudden declaration of her intention without warning to destroy all shipping over a wide area, comes as the climax to a long series of aggravated cases in which the United States has gathered evidence that pledges given to her for respect of international law at sea have been broken.

A score of American lives have been lost since the slate was wiped clean by Germany's promises in the Sussex case.

SECOND CONFERENCE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, February 1.—Just before noon Secretary Lansing, after working alone in his office all morning, went to the White House for a conference with President Wilson.

Secretary Lansing would not discuss the situation at all and refused to answer a question as to whether any action had been taken.

Secretary Lansing replied to all questions: "I can say absolutely nothing about the situation."

Asked if he could say whether any steps had yet been taken he replied: "I cannot answer that question, either."

Congress, generally recognizing the gravity of the international situation, today showed no inclination to arouse discussion of the issue while President Wilson was forming a course of action.

TO ADDRESS CONGRESS

Many members thought the President would address Congress in the near future.

Majority Leader Kitchen, in opening the revenue bill debate in the House, appealed to Democrats and Republicans alike, at a time like the present, when a "grave situation confronts the Republic," to forget their

ever were any differences.

Following the conference between President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, the opinion became generally prevalent in official quarters that a break in diplomatic relations with Germany seemed inevitable; although it was thought probable that an ultimatum or warning to the Berlin government might precede this action.

DISCUSSES PEACE

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Washington, February 1.—The President interrupted his consideration of the submarine situation this afternoon long enough to discuss peace with Dr. Paul Ritter, the Swiss Minister, a committee from the Woman's Peace League and Louis P. Lochner, of Chicago, an adviser of Henry Ford on his peace projects.

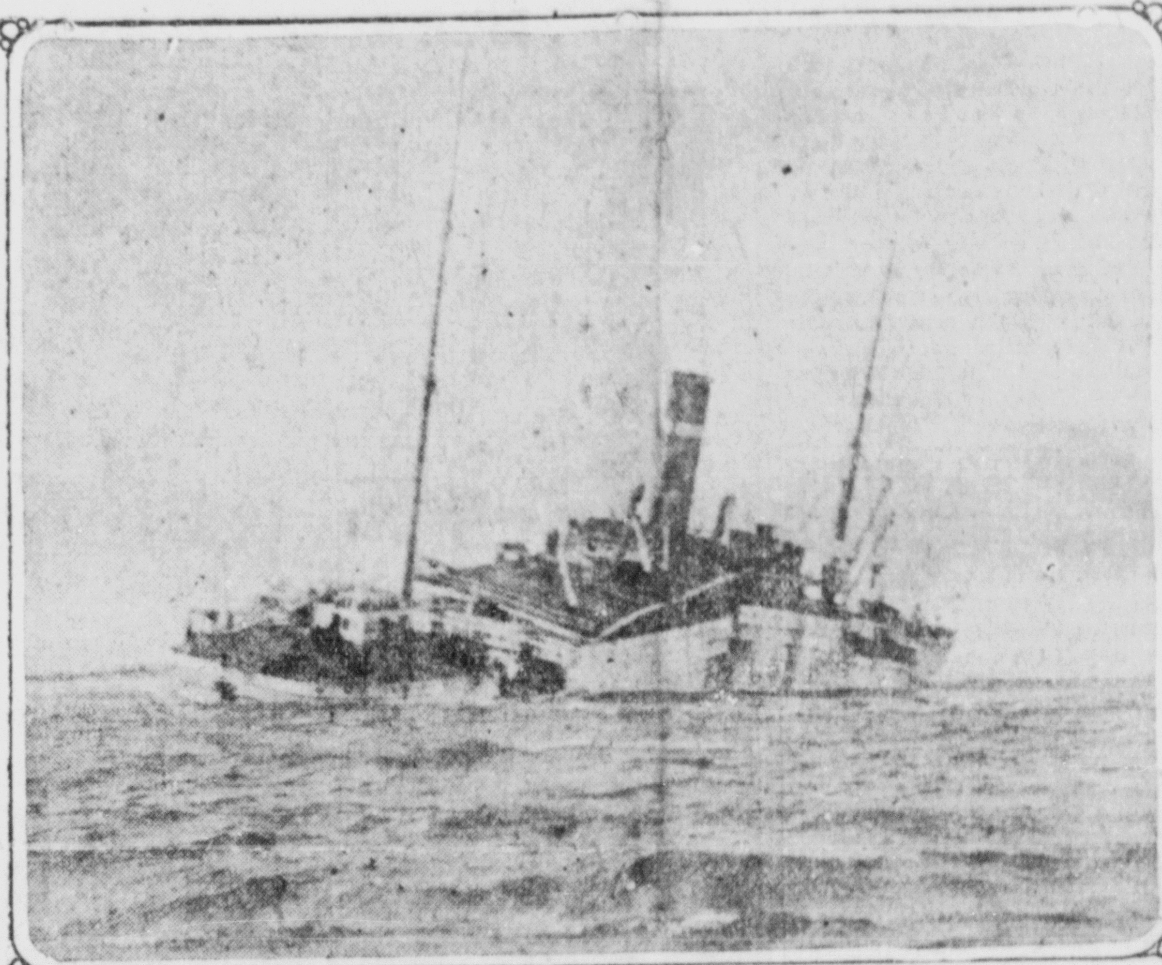
THE GERMAN NOTE

The full text of the German note follows:

Your excellency had the kindness to communicate on the 23d of this month a message which the president of the United States of America on the same day addressed to the American senate. The Imperial government took knowledge of the contents of the message with edge of the contents of the message with great attention and with the greatest satisfaction to state that the general lines of this remarkable manifestation in the widest sense agree with the principles and wishes of Germany and her allies. To these belong in the first place the right of self-government and equal rights of all nations. Recognizing this principle, Germany sincerely would welcome it if nations like Ireland and India, who do not enjoy the blessings of independence of state, now would obtain their liberty. The alliances which drive nations into competition for hegemony and involve them toward any selfish intrigues are likewise refuted by the German people.

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ALL EFFORTS HAVE BEEN ABANDONED TO SAVE THE BIG ARMY TRANSPORT SUMNER, CAST ASHORE



U.S. TRANSPORT SUMNER POUNDING TO PIECES

All efforts by the United States coast guards and the quartermaster's department of the army to save the army transport Sumner from complete loss have been abandoned. The vessel is now rapidly breaking to pieces in Barnegat shoals within plain view of Barnegat light. The constant strain of the pounding seas has already broken her ... two, and the parting of her hull is visible from the light and from Barnegat City, N. J.

The Sumner was formerly the collier Cassius, but was refitted in 1909 at a cost of \$700,000. She carried troops to the Philippines in 1909 and returned three years later with the bodies of 171 soldiers who died in the islands. She took 665 American refugees from Vera Cruz to Tampa.

announced today, has notified the Dutch government that Germany stands ready to make special arrangements to respect passenger and mail traffic between Holland and England.

No mines will be laid on the Flushing-Southwold route, it is stated.

NEW YORK'S HARBOR WAS SEALED TIGHT

Cordon of Destroyers and Patrols "Lock" Harbor Over Night—Open This Morning.

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, February 1.—After being sealed all night by a cordon of destroyers and coast guard patrol boats the port of New York was opened today by the customs authorities to all incoming and outgoing shipping.

The stand taken by the Collector of Port was that ships should sail at their own risk. They were permitted to clear as usual.

GERMANY OFFERS TO PROTECT THE DUTCH MAILS

(Associated Press Cable)

The Hague, via London, February 1.—The German Minister to the Netherlands, it was officially

SAILING DATE IS POSTPONED

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, February 1.—Announcement was made here this morning by a representative of the Scandinavian-American Line that the sailing of the passenger liner Helligolav, booked to leave at 2 p. m. today with 300 passengers and cargo for Copenhagen, via Kirkwall, had been indefinitely postponed.

BRITISH COMPEL EXAMINATION OF NEUTRAL SHIP

By Associated Press Dispatch.

New York, February 1.—The Helligolav, as well as all other neutral ships plying between America and Scandinavian ports, has been compelled by the British Government to put in at Kirkwall or Falmouth for examination.

Orders to hold the Helligolav were issued by local agents here, pending more detailed advices from the home offices in Copenhagen.

KIRCHWEY LEADS IN MOVE TO UNITE ALL PEACE ASSOCIATIONS



GEORGE W. KIRCHWEY

The peace meeting of February 2 at Madison Square Garden, New York city, with William Jennings Bryan as one of the principal speakers, is one of the steps of the American Neutral Conference Committee and other American peace societies toward consolidation. Professor George W. Kirchwey of New York is chairman of the executive committee of the conference and also president of the American Peace society. On February 22 representatives of all the principal American peace societies will meet in New York and try to devise a practicable plan of co-operation and consolidation.

Bethmann-Hollweg and Other Ministers Attend Important Meeting of the Reichstag Today, Going over Entire War Situation.

"WE'VE BEEN CHALLENGED TO FIGHT TO END" WAS ANNOUNCEMENT OF EMPIRE'S PREMIER

Urging that the Moment to Strike is at Hand and if Present Prospect of Success is to be Available no Further Delay Must be Indulged.

Berlin, January 31, via London, February 1.—(Associated Press Cable)—Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg and other ministers attended an important meeting of the Ways and Means Committee of the Reichstag today, at which the entire war situation was gone over and new steps planned by the Central Powers were considered.

The Chancellor opened the sitting with a speech of which the keynote words were:

"We have been challenged to fight to the end. We accept the challenge. We stake everything. And we shall be victorious."

Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg repeated his previous utterances that as soon as he, in agreement with the supreme army command, reached the conviction that ruthless submarine war would bring Germany nearer a victorious peace, then the U-boat war would be started.

"This moment has now arrived," he continued. "Last autumn the time was not yet ripe; but today the moment has come when, with the greatest prospect of success, we can undertake the enterprise. We must therefore not wait any longer."

DECLARATION A SENSATION IN LONDON

British Not Expecting a Resumption of Unrestricted Warfare.

(Associated Press Cable)

London, February 1.—The German declaration of unrestricted war at sea has created a profound sensation in England, where it was unexpected.

All interest centers on the policy which neutral maritime nations will adopt.

The decision of the United States is awaited with the most intense interest, as it is recognized that it will have a strong influence on other neutrals and be the most important factor in the solution of one of the most serious crises of the war.

Officials decline to discuss the question formally at present. It is pointed out that, inasmuch as the note is addressed to neutrals and not to the British government, it is essentially for them to deal with.

HEROINE'S LIFE PAYS THE FORFEIT

(By American Press)

Cannelton, Ind., Feb. 1.—While going through the corridors to arouse guests in the Sunlight hotel here, after it was discovered to be on fire, Hannah Fox, the head waitress, lost her way in the smoke and was burned to death. The hotel was destroyed. There were only seventeen guests in the building. One had to jump from the second floor. An adjoining three-story business block structure also was burned.

BEGINNING AT 6 TONIGHT

Paris, (Noon), February 1.—(Associated Press Cable)—The notification that Germany and Austria would torpedo neutral merchant ships without notice beginning at 6 o'clock tonight reached Paris too late for publication except in last editions of the morning newspapers. (The German notification to the United States mentioned no specific hour on February 1. The announcement caused a sensation).

MUCH INTEREST IN OFFER FOR BEST POULTRY

A great deal of interest is being manifested throughout the county in the offer of the C. H. Brownell & Sons packing firm to give liberal prizes to the boys and girls who can produce the best poultry in Fayette county, the awards to be made according to the way the ribbons are placed at the county fair next August.

The offer is not made to any one person or groups of persons but is open to any of the youth of Fayette county who have a little ambition to do something worth while.

The offer of C. H. Brownell & Sons includes a silver cup and \$100 in gold to any Fayette County Poultry Club which can win the state championship.

Another offer that is interesting the boys and girls is the offer to pay \$5 in gold to the leader of each poultry club which exhibits poultry at the Fayette County Fair. Also \$10 to the poultry club winning first prize at the fair; \$8 to the club winning the second, \$6 to third; \$4 to fourth and \$2 to the fifth.

The boys and girls are now calling County Superintendent Nelson, interviewing their teacher and making inquiries of others concerning detailed information.

SIMPLE SERVICES PRECEDUE BURIAL

In the First Presbyterian church, from which Mrs. Mary Boyd Hale was never absent except when detained by ill health, were held short and simple services over all that was mortal, Thursday morning at ten o'clock.

The church held a large number of friends and the Mary Boyd Hale Bible Class attended in a body, following down the aisle the sisters, Misses Nelle and Florence Boyd, of Marietta, daughter Mrs. Jessie Harding, of Belpre; and cousin, Miss Lida Archart, of Basin, O., who accompanied the body from Marietta to this city.

Rev. Wm. Boynton Gage conducted the services which consisted simply of scripture reading, prayer and the hymns, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Rock of Ages," sung by Miss Ada Woodward, Mr. R. R. Kibler and Mrs. Albert Barney, Mrs. Lillie G. Davis at the organ.

Among the floral remembrances were a wreath of galax leaves and spring flowers from the Mary Boyd Hale Bible Class and spray tulips, narcissus and sweet peas from the St. Andrew's Episcopal Guild.

The interment was made in the Washington cemetery. The pallbearers were Messrs George Jackson, Jos. N. Willson, J. W. Rothrock, R. S. Quinn, T. S. Pinkerton, Dr. Carey Persinger.

SIMPLE SERVICES

The young men of Mr. George Bryan's former class at Grace C. E. Sunday School, met the family upon arrival from Middletown on the morning train and acted as pallbearers to the chapel.

A simple service was conducted by Rev. A. P. Cherrington, in the chapel of the Clover undertaking establishment, at one o'clock Wednesday afternoon, over all that was mortal of Mrs. Elizabeth Bryan, highly esteemed older resident of this city, for many years.

The pastor spoke very beautifully from the testimony of many who had known the deceased and read the hymns: "Rock of Ages" and "Jesus Lover of My Soul."

A number of the older people and family friends were at the services. Burial followed in the family lot of the Washington cemetery, the pallbearers were Messrs. Henry Brownell, C. E. Lloyd, Gilbert Adams, Ed Pine, Judge T. N. Craig and W. O. De heart.

MEMOIR

Elizabeth Harley Bryan oldest daughter of Robert and Elizabeth Harley, was born in Chillicothe Ohio, June 6, 1837. Departed this life January 29, 1917 in Middletown, Ohio, age 79 years 7 months and 29 days.

At the age of 7 years she united with the old Walnut Street Methodist Church of Chillicothe. At the age of ten she with her widowed mother moved to Washington Court House, where she united with the Methodist society of that city. Of which society she has been a faithful member for more than 69 years always loving her church and interested in its welfare.

She was united in marriage to George Bryan, December 25, 1854 to this union which lasted more than sixty years, were born thirteen children of whom seven survive their mother. As a mother she was always kind and patient, suffering the most to make her children comfortable.

In the early seventies she began

to that company of earnest, Christian women known as the Crusaders, and in later years has been a member of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union.

On February 18, 1914, she layed to rest her beloved husband who had been her helpmate for sixty years.

For about two weeks she suffered with La Grippe and her frail body was not able to bear the suffering and at one o'clock January 29, the grim reaper claimed all that was mortal and her life went sweetly and peacefully to her Heavenly Father who gave it.

Beautiful toiler, thy work all done
Beautiful soul, into glory gone,
Beautiful life, with its crown now won

God giveth thee rest
Best from all sorrows, and watching
and fear.

Rest from all possible sighing and tears,
Rest through God's endless, wonderful years,

At home with the blest,
Beautiful spirit freed from all stain
Ours the heartache the sorrow and pain,

Thine is the glory and infinite gain,
Thy slumber is sweet.

Peace on the brow and eyelids so calm,
Peace in the heart 'neath the white folded palms

Peace dropping down like a wonderful balm
From the heart to the feet.

It was so sudden our white lips said,
How we shall miss her, the beautiful dead,

Who will take the place of the precious one fled?
But God knoweth best.

We know he watches the sparrows that fall,
Hears the sad cry and the griefed hearts that call,

Friends, children, he loves them all,
We can trust the rest.

FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. COCKERILL

The funeral services of Mrs. Willard Cockerill will be held Friday morning at half past ten o'clock at the home of the mother, Mrs. H. E. Coffman on E. Temple street. Rev. A. P. Cherrington will officiate.

The sad party, comprising Dr. Willard Cockerill and little daughter, Janet, Mrs. Coffman and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shoultz arrived with the body on the 5:40 B. & O. train Wednesday evening and went at once to Mrs. Coffman's home.

A number of relatives and friends were in waiting at station.

LONDON WANTS CITY MANAGER

The citizens of London (Ohio) are desirous of obtaining a city manager form of government, and a petition asking council to call an election for that purpose has been circulated and enough signatures obtained during the past few days to call the election.

The City Manager plan is desired by Londoners, who have been studying the plan in other Ohio cities.

WORK STARTS ON REDECORATING "Y"

The work of redecorating the lobby and other parts of the Y. M. C. A. was started Wednesday, and when completed it is expected that the lobby will present a much more attractive and inviting appearance.

The work is being done with the proceeds of the collection taken for that purpose at the tabernacle a few nights ago. The collection amounted to \$44.27.

B. H. MILLIKAN POST
No 92 Department of Ohio G. A. R. will meet in regular session Saturday afternoon, February 3, 1917 at 2:00 o'clock.

All members of the Post are urged to be present. Visiting members of other Posts are welcome.

I. N. ROWE P. C.
R. H. HARROP, Adj.

There will be a Market at Hughey's Confectionery Saturday commencing at 10 a. m. Home baking of all kinds.

FRESH FISH!
Halibut, Boneless Herring, Cat Fish, Pickerel.

The White Tile Meat Market.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS
The clean cut writing of distinctive appearance and the long wear obtained from our Typewriter Ribbons give the user extra Ribbon satisfaction.
H. R. RODECKER

COMPANY M WILL LEAVE FOR HOME ON FEBRUARY 16

Major Rell G. Allen to Leave for Home This Week to Qualify for Probate Judgeship and May Remain.

The official date upon which it is announced Company M will leave the border for Detroit, Michigan, where they will be mustered out, is Friday, February 16th, and it is expected that two or three weeks will elapse from the time the troops leave the border until they will arrive home.

All preparations are now being made by the Fourth Regiment, of which Company M boys are a part so that they can leave promptly on the date above mentioned, and troop trains are being assembled for that purpose.

Major Rell G. Allen, who must qualify for Probate Judge not later than February 8th, so that he can assume office February 9th, leaves for home probably Saturday of this week, on a leave of absence, and will either remain here until time to be mustered out at Detroit, or may qualify and hurry back to the border so that he can assume command of one of the troop trains on the return to this part of the country.

It is expected that he will arrive home Wednesday or Thursday of next week.

EPISCOPALIAN RECTOR ARRIVES THIS WEEK

The Rev. David Barre, the new rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal church, comes from Granville to this city the latter part of the week to take charge of the work. He will reside in Washington, although also having under his pastorate the Wilmington church.

The parishioners of St. Andrews are delighted with their new rector who is both a gifted preacher and a fine man.

Rev. Barre will preach Sunday morning at St. Andrews at half past nine o'clock. The public is cordially invited to the service.

ELECTED TO TEACH IN CLEVELAND SCHOOLS

Miss Maude Chester, Domestic Science teacher of the Public Schools of our city for two years and a half, has been elected as one of the Domestic Science teachers of the Cleveland schools.

This recognition of Miss Chester's capability will be gratifying news to her many Washington friends.

DENTAL INSPECTION COMPLETED TODAY

Free dental inspection in the public schools was completed Thursday morning and nearly 1600 mouths were examined and the condition generally was found to be much improved over that found at the last previous examination.

Better care is being taken of the teeth as the children learn of the importance of clean and healthy teeth.

The work has necessitated much time on the part of the dentists and Welfare Nurse, Miss Sutton.

There will be a MARKET at HUGHEY'S CONFECTIONERY SATURDAY, commencing at 10 a. m. HOME BAKING of all kinds

In the Probate Court of Fayette, Ohio.

The State of Ohio Fayette County ss.

To whom it may concern:—

Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said Court.

By Administrators of

1783 Milburn Flee

1888 F. M. Clemans

1913 Charles J. Campbell

1870 Virgil M. Durlinger

By Executors of

1893 Mary H. Rogers

By Trustees of

1878 Marshall J. Williams

All persons interested in said accounts or Trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 10th day of March 1917, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the Court may designate.

FRANK M. ALLEN,
Probate Judge.

February 1st, 1917.

TheFirstSpringRobinwas seenYesterday

He may have been a little frost-bitten, but he cheerily chirped a song which told of warm Spring sunshine and blooming flowers.

This is the Time to Get Ready—For We Have Set Aport The Next Couple of Weeks as "SPRING-SEWING WEEKS."

And with a host of New Wash Materials to show you, at prices most reasonable, we are prepared to assist you materially in preparing for the coming season.

THE WM. ANDERSON SCOTCH ZEPHYR GINGHAMS in a most wonderful range of plaids at 20c and 25c the yard, are a most attractive feature of the Spring showing.

IMPERIAL LINEN FINISH CHAMBRAY GINGHAMS, 32 inches wide, at 18c the yard, in plain colors and checks, are durable, fast color fabrics of fine quality.

TOILE DU NORD AND BATES GINGHAMS at 15c the yard, in new styles and patterns. Spring line of first quality Percales in both dark and light styles at 15c the yard.

AT 12½c the yard our showing of Gingham is complete with plain colors, checks and plaids.

See Our Window Display of These



It May Seem a Little Strange to Have a Sale of House Dresses In February—But Here It Is.

These new, fresh, crisp house dresses and bungalow aprons are right from the factory, unpacked and marked today.

While these last the prices we have put on them will prevail, but the next shipment will, without doubt, be higher.

House Dresses of the Electric Brand at \$1, \$1.25, \$1.30 up to \$12.50

Bungalow Aprons of light and dark Percales, in 12 different styles, 69c

CRAIG BROS

A SPRING House Cleaning

It has been a yearly custom in our business at Lancaster, Ohio, to make a clean sweep of all Pianos, Player-Pianos and Organs, both new and used during the month of February. We have a considerable number of both new and used Pianos, Player-Pianos and Organs at our Lancaster Store and here, which will be sold in the next 10 days at prices and terms that defy competition.

FOR 10 DAYS ONLY

Beginning Saturday, February 2nd,

our entire stock of new and used Pianos, Player-Pianos and Organs, at both our stores, will be sold at prices you cannot afford to pass by, if you want or need, or ever expect to have music in your home.

Used Pianos as low as	\$30.00
Used Organs as low as	\$ 3.50
Used Players as low as	\$280.00
New Pianos from	\$150.00 up.
New Players from	\$350.00 up.

These instruments will all be in the best possible condition and will honestly be worth many more dollars than they are sold for. All the new instruments sold will be fully guaranteed by their manufacturers and ourselves. All used instruments will have our personal guarantee and service back of them.

If you want to save from \$5.00 to \$200.00 on the purchase of an instrument, now's your chance to get busy. Remember, these instruments are not a lot of worthless, cheap stencils, gathered-up for a special sale, but are the same high grade, well known and established lines we have carried for years.

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Regulating Newspapers

At the meeting of Ohio newspapers in Columbus on Tuesday, among those who addressed the assembled "brethren" was W. F. Wiley, Managing Editor of the Cincinnati Enquirer.

Mr. Wiley was unusually emphatic in condemning that which he characterized as too stringent regulation of publishers by the federal and state governments. Mr. Wiley even went so far as to state that the newspaper publishers were being "Russianized" by the laws of the land enacted under guise of regulation necessary to do away with existing and threatened evils.

Governor Cox, himself a publisher, joined issue with Mr. Wiley, pointed out with vigor that no force in the land had been more insistent in urging reform and regulation by legislative enactment, than the newspapers, and that when the reform affected him and his business he did not propose to complain.

We agree with Governor Cox and would go even farther than the chief executive in upholding the regulatory provisions.

The newspapers of the land, taken collectively have need of regulating. Or rather the people need some halt called on the abuse to which a high calling was being subjected.

Subsidized and dishonest newspapers should be exposed and laws should have been passed removing the mask from dishonest publishers. Too many newspapers have sold their "influence" and weighted down the mails with fraudulent subscription lists, to longer escape regulation. Honest publishers should welcome the burdens imposed because of the great good it has and will accomplish in keeping the respect of the public.

Regulation is all right. It is all right for newspapers too.

We do not believe the government is "Russianizing" the newspaper business, but we do believe the wholesome regulatory laws will save it from falling into disrepute.

The New War Plan

The indications now are that the Central Powers, after having failed in the Verdun campaign and in other disastrous offensives, beginning with the battle of the Marne in 1914, have concluded to adopt the plan suggested by General von Emmich some months ago and confine their efforts to a stubborn defensive campaign.

While advances have been made in some sectors which, in comparison to other campaigns in the present war, might be classed as sweeping victories, but which are in their real effect on the final result of the war, only "nibbling" processes, Germany has finally concluded that it is impossible for her to win the war by an offensive plan.

At least that is the conclusion the expert observers have reached from present conditions.

General von Emmich advocated the defensive plan before the Verdun offensive was undertaken, but the general staff rejected the suggestion because of the effect on the German people.

The plan of intrenching at home and in territory captured from the enemy presents a likelihood of a prolongation of the war. The task of driving out the Germans would be a tremendous one and, according to Berlin, an impossible one.

This plan of battle presupposes of course that the Central Powers will be able to withstand the food shortage by far the most serious menace now with which they are confronted and the one big weapon with which the Entente powers hope to encompass the defeat of the Germanic forces.

Alcohol's Future

Theorists (and with much force too) are already pointing out that the continued sweep of the great tidal wave of prohibition will not put King Alcohol out of business even should nation-wide prohibition come.

As one observer expresses it, speaking of King Alcohol's future, "The more he is prevented from taking the motive power from the muscles of imbibers the more he will transfer his attention to putting it into mechanical motors."

That's a true statement. The use for alcohol in the field of chemistry and as motor fuel is growing enormously.

True the demand will be for a lower grade than that which has so long sapped the mental and physical vitality of men, but the demand is already here and growing rapidly. The argument that man must ruin his life to create a market for one of nature's products never did seem sound and now present demand furnishes proof in fact for what has always seemed a sound theory.

The market for alcohol will grow apace with the growth of prohibition. That is now a demonstrated fact and no longer a plausible theory.

The shift of the use of alcohol from a consuming fuel inside of man to a fuel for motors may also serve to relieve the demand for gasoline and reduce the cost.

Poetry For Today

LAUGH AND BE MERRY

Laugh and be merry, remember, better the world with a song. Better the world with a blow in the teeth of a wrong. Laugh for the time is brief, a thread the length of a spin. Laugh and be proud to belong to the old proud pageant of man.

Laugh and be merry; remember, in olden time. God made heaven and earth for joy he took in a rhyme. Made them, and filled them full with the strong red wine of his mirth. The splendid joy of the stars; the joy of the earth.

So we must laugh and drink from the deep blue cup of the sky. Join the jubilant song of the great stars sweeping by. Laugh, and battle, and work, and drink of the wine outpoured In the dear green earth, the sign of the joy of the Lord.

Laugh and be merry together, like brothers akin. Guesting awhile in the rooms of a beautiful inn. Glad till the dancing stops, and the lilt of the music ends. Laugh till the game is played; and be you merry, my friends.

—John Masfield.

Weather Report

Washington February 1.—Ohio and Western Pennsylvania; Snow flurries and decidedly colder Thursday; severe cold wave by Thursday night; Friday fair and colder.

Tennessee and Kentucky—Clearing Thursday with a severe cold wave; Friday fair and colder.

West Virginia—Rain turning to snow Thursday, severe cold wave by Thursday night; Friday fair and colder.

WEATHER FORECAST

Ohio—Severe cold wave to night; Friday fair and colder.

Daily Calendar.

From noon today to noon tomorrow: Sun sets, 5:19; moon sets, 3:20 a. m.; sun rises, 7:09.

CLIMATOLOGICAL CHART.

Ending 7:00 p. m.
Highest temperature 67.
Lowest temperature 39.
Mean temperature 49.
Barometer 29.78. Rising.

THE GERMAN NOTE

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On the other hand, it has enthusiastically co-operation of all endeavors which aim at prevention of future wars.

Freedom of the seas is a preliminary condition for the free and peaceful intercourse of nations, as well as an open door for trade and was always the guiding principle of German policy.

Failure of Peace Efforts.

Germany, in peace to be concluded with Belgium, merely wanted to take precautionary measures so that that country, with which the imperial government wishes to live in good neighborly relations, could not be exploited by Germany's adversaries for the promotion of hostile attempts. Such precaution was all the more needed since hostile persons in power in repeated speeches, and especially in resolutions of the Paris economic conference, declared in unveiled terms their intention, even after the restoration of peace, not to recognize Germany as a state of equal right, but rather to continue to fight in systematic fashion.

The attempt of the four allied powers to bring about peace failed on account of the lust of conquest of our adversaries, who want peace.

Under the pretext of the principle of nationalities, they revealed as their war aim, the desire to dishonor Germany, Austria-Hungary, Turkey and Bulgaria.

To the desire for a reconciliation, they opposed efforts for conciliation. They want to fight to the last.

New Situation.

Thus a new situation has sprung up, which forces Germany also to new decisions. For two years and a half England has refused politics and then her navy for a criminal attempt to force Germany and also Austria-Hungary into submission. Brutally, and despite the laws of nations, she has sought to crush Germany.

Farm Loans

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—Chapin in St. Louis Republic.

Markets

NEW YORK STOCKS, LAST SALE.

New York, February 1.—American Beet Sugar 82½; American Sugar Refining 106½; Baltimore & Ohio 75½; Chesapeake & Ohio 60; Illinois Central 102½; Louisville & Nashville 127½; New York Central 96½; Norfolk & Western 130½; Pennsylvania 55½; United States Steel 102½; United States Steel preferred 118½; Western Union 94.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, February 1.—Hogs—Receipts 35000; market 25 under opening which was 15 and 20c above yesterday's average; bulk \$11.60@11.90; light \$11.20@11.50; mixed \$11.30@11.80; heavy \$11.35@11.95; rough \$11.35@11.50; pigs \$9.75@11.00.

Cattle — Receipts 6000; market weak; native beef steers \$7.75@11.99; western steers \$7.75@10.15; stockers and feeders \$6.00@9.10; cows and heifers \$5.00@10.25; calves \$10.50@14.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 10000; market strong to 10c higher; wether \$10.25@13.50; lambs \$11.85@14.50.

Pittsburg, February 1. — Hogs; receipts 2000; market 20 higher; heavies \$12.25@12.30; heavy yorkers \$12.15@12.25; light yorkers \$11.50 @ 11.75; pigs \$10.50@10.75.

Sheep and Lambs — Receipts 500; market higher; top sheep \$11.50; top lambs \$14.75.

Calves—Receipts 150; market lower top \$14.50.

East Buffalo, February 1.—Cattle 125; market steady.

Veal—Receipts 50; market active and steady; quotation \$5.00@15.00.

Hogs—Receipts 7200; market active; heavies and mixed \$12.40@12.50; yorkers \$12.35@12.50; light yorkers \$11.25@11.75; pigs \$10.75@11.00; roughs \$11.35@11.50; stags \$9.00@10.00.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 3000; lambs \$11.00@14.65; yearlings \$9.50@13.50; wethers \$11.50@12.00; ewes \$6.00@11.00; sheep, mixed \$11.00 @ 11.25.

Cleveland, February 1.—Cattle — Receipts 200; market steady.

Calves—Receipts 200; market steady to strong.

Sheep—Receipts 1000; market steady.

Hogs—Receipts 2000; market 15 and 25c higher; yorkers \$12.20; heavies and medium \$12.40; pigs \$10.75; roughs \$11.75; stags \$10.25.

GRAIN MARKETS.

Chicago, February 1. — Wheat: May \$1.63 1-8; July \$1.41 1-2. Corn—May 96 7-8; July 95 7-8. Oats—May 52 5-8; July 51 7-8. Pork—May \$28.17; July \$27.75. Lard—May \$16.02; Jan. \$16.17. Ribs—May \$14.92; Jan. \$15.07.

CLOVER SEED.

Toledo, O., February 1 — Prime cash \$10.90; February \$10.90; March \$10.75.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

Wheat \$1.65
White Corn 97c
Yellow Corn 95c
Oats 50c

WASHINGTON PRODUCE MARKET
Young Chickens 15c
Hens 15c
Eggs 33c
Butter 25c

COLISEUM IS ASSURED

By Associated Press Dispatch.

Columbus, O., February 1.—It was said to be a foregone conclusion that the lower house of the General Assembly this afternoon would pass, as an emergency measure, the Lloyd bill, to build a \$200,000 coliseum at the state fair grounds in Columbus to accommodate the national dairy show to be held here in October; the initiated bill to amend the workmen's compensation act, so as to exclude private liability insurance companies and the woman's presidential suffrage measure.

The House Initiative and Referendum Committee this morning recommended for passage the Hoy resolutions, one to submit to the voters next November, a proposed amendment to abolish civil service in Ohio, and the other to make it apply to all appointive public officials except police and firemen and old soldiers.

Representatives of street and inter urban electric railway companies appeared today before the House Labor Committee and protested against the bill by Representative Ott, of Hamilton county, proposing an eight hour day for employees of electric railways in Ohio.

SPANNELL CASE GIVEN TO JURY AT NOON TODAY

By Associated Press Dispatch.

San Antonio, Texas, February 1.—The case of Henry J. Spannall, who has been on trial for more than two weeks in connection with the death of his wife, who, with Lieutenant Colonel M. C. Butler, U. S. A., was shot and killed at Alpine, Texas, last July, was given to the jury in District Court here shortly after noon today.

VERDICT IS RETURNED

San Antonio, Texas, February 1.—A verdict of not guilty was returned after less than two hours deliberation by the jury today in the case of Henry J. Spannall, of Alpine, Texas, tried on a charge of killing his wife, Crystal Holland Spannall, last July.

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Extra Large Size Florida Oranges, thin rine, sweet and juicy, regular 45c value—special at per dozen 35c

Strawberries 40c quart
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Kumquats 25c
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Peaberry Coffee—Our Special Peaberry is the cheapest in town, quality considered, that you can buy. Every pound guaranteed to give satisfaction.

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Basket Ball—Friday Night—7 O'clock

Washington H. S. vs. Greenfield H. S.

High School Gymnasium

General Admission 15 Cents

MIRACLES FORM THEME OF THIRD GREAT LECTURE

Large Number of Business, Professional Men and Other Citizens Hear Enlightening Lecture By Gifted Evangelist—Another Lecture Friday.

The largest crowd of men who have yet attended the noonday luncheons and lectures at Memorial Hall was present Thursday noon, partaking of an excellent luncheon prepared by the Women's Work committee of the tabernacle.

Chickens and cakes for the luncheon were furnished by the women of the creek road community.

The large crowd of men included several strangers in the city, invited by friends, and the lecture delivered by Dr. Bromley on Miracles was intensely interesting and enlightening to all, and many men went to Dr. Bromley after the lecture and expressed their appreciation.

As a result of his lecture a great many men have an entirely different view of the miracles recorded in the Bible, and no longer doubt them.

Dr. Bromley pointed out some of the modern discoveries and inventions as veritable miracles, and things which a few years ago would have been scoffed at as impossible.

"If man can change the nature so that he obtains miracles, then why should we look with doubt upon the acts of God who created nature?" asked Dr. Bromley.

Points of the lecture are: Those who object to the miracles recorded in the Bible would be the first persons to deny the Deity of Christ if the miracles were not recorded.

Wireless telegraphy was just as possible two thousand years ago as now, but was never discovered.

The X-ray was always possible but not discovered until a short time ago. The same holds good in regard to radium.

We are still in our infancy in the field of discovery. The acts of God should not be limited to the little knowledge of mankind.

Natural causes are not the only causes that operate. In closing his remarks Dr. Bromley stated that there was no reason for questioning the occurrence of any of the miracles when it is considered that Christ was able to raise himself up from the dead.

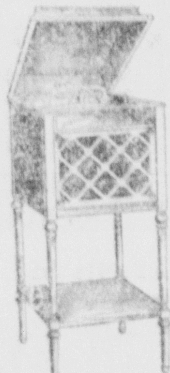
Tomorrow Dr. Bromley lectures on the Historical Christ.

TOOTH BRUSHES FOR YOUNGSTERS

In order to aid in the dental work in the public schools and to keep the teeth of the children in healthy condition, The Rolling Tooth Brush Company, of Boston, has donated three dozen assorted brushes to be distributed among the poor children of the school who will agree to use them.

The Haver, Christopher, Blackmer & Tanguary and Brown drug stores each contributed quite a number of tooth brushes.

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PERSONALS

Prof. and Mrs. W. W. Davies left this week on a trip to Florida.

Miss Lois Lampe is home from the O. S. U. for the semester vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. West of Columbus pike, are visiting in Hillsboro.

Mrs. W. B. Hershey spent Thursday in Columbus.

Mr. G. H. Woodmansee has been among the week visitors in Columbus.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tobin, of Danville, have been visiting their daughter Mrs. T. W. Watts, this week.

Fred Hall is down from Columbus spending a few days with his parents Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Hall.

Mrs. W. N. Bean of Hillsboro, is here for a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. T. Wilkin.

Mrs. Solon Loofborow is ill with the grippe at her home on Leesburg avenue.

Mr. Frank S. Jackson was a business visitor in Dayton and Springfield Thursday.

Miss Nina Dahl and guest, Miss Priscilla Wood of Wilmington, were guests in Columbus Thursday.

Mr. George Fabb of Cincinnati, was the guest of his brother-in-law, Mr. Chas. McLean, and family, Thursday.

Messrs. Damon Baker and Homer McCoy attended the auto show in Columbus Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kubanks have returned from a visit with friends in Washington C. H.—Wilmington News.

Messrs. J. E. Mark, Fred M. Mark and Chas. Roberts were visitors at the Columbus auto show Wednesday.

Miss Clara Stitt and Mrs. R. K. Junk, of Mt. Sterling, are the guests of Mrs. H. W. Willis to attend the Bromley meetings.

Mrs. Maude Howland, of Bloomingburg, has been the guest of Mrs. M. E. Hitchcock part of the week to attend the Bromley meetings.

Mrs. W. F. Morford and Mrs. C. C. Alward are down from Columbus the guests of Mrs. Jess Persinger for a few days.

Mrs. V. P. Smith is visiting relatives in Ft. Wayne, Ind., and will stop in Springfield to visit her daughter, Mrs. William Morgan.

Mrs. Daniel H. VanWinkle and little daughter Jane Anne, went to Cincinnati Thursday to be the guests of Mrs. George Fabb.

Mrs. George Zeigler, of Greenfield, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. J. Walker, and attending the Bromley meetings.

Mrs. C. C. Krepps and little son, Robert Hopkins, went to Cincinnati Wednesday to visit Mrs. Krepps' mother, Mrs. Harry Ryan.

Mrs. Jessie Hale Harding, of Belpre, was the guest of Mrs. Jos. N. Willson while here to attend the burial of her mother, Mrs. Mary Boyd Hale.

Mrs. Harley Bostwick of Mt. Sterling was the guest of Mrs. Jos. N. Willson and daughter, Mrs. W. M. Mitchener while shopping here Thursday.

Auditor Glenn M. Pine was a business visitor in Columbus today. To night he will be joined by Mrs. Pine Treasurer and Mrs. A. W. Duff to attend the Columbus Auto show.

Mr. Renick Bogg left Thursday evening for New York to purchase Spring merchandise for the F. L. Stinson department store. Mr. Bogg will stop in Washington, D. C., en route for a few days stay with his wife at the home of her sister, Mrs. Joseph H. Donnell.

Mrs. Scott Campbell, who was in a critical condition at Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, Wednesday, is showing decided improvement today. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Britten, of Pancoastburg visited her Wednesday and Mr. John Lininger and Mrs. Harry Campbell, of New Holland, brother and sister, go to Columbus this evening.

COMMUNITY BIBLE CLASS

A community Bible Class was organized Thursday morning with twenty seven members proposing to meet one hour each week for Bible study.

It is the first organization of the kind to follow the tabernacle work, but it is by no means expected to be the last. It will be non-sectarian and open to any who desire entering.

The class was organized with Mrs. Wm. Steffy, President; Mrs. Howell Reno, teacher; Mrs. Walter McLean, secretary.

In Social Circles

Mr. and Mrs. Austin F. Hopkins extended their always delightful hospitality at an exceptionally elaborate six o'clock dinner, of perfect appointments, Wednesday evening in compliment to Dr. and Mrs. Henry Bromley and their party.

A spring-like color scheme of white and yellow was carried out in the table decorations, of which the centerpiece, an exquisite basket of calceolais, white sweet peas and freesia, was a Buck florist's masterpiece.

Seated with the host and hostess were Dr. and Mrs. Bromley, Miss Cain, Miss Ditzell, Prof. Meyers, Mr. Blatt, Mr. Harris, and mother of Steubenville, Rev. and Mrs. Wm. Boynton Gage, Mrs. Ellen Jones.

Two popular young people of the Clasco neighborhood surprised their friends Sunday by slipping over to Kentucky and having the nuptial knot tied.

The bride is Miss Naomi Sessler, daughter of Mr. C. B. Sessler, of the

White pike, and an unusually pretty and attractive girl, whose talent as a reader has brought her frequently into prominence.

The bridegroom is Mr. Leland McCune, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McCune, and one of the energetic young farmers of near Clasco.

The bride and bridegroom returned Monday to the home of the latter's parents, where they will make their home until future plans are decided upon. As the interesting news is becoming known the young couple are receiving best wishes from their many friends.

As a charming courtesy to her house guest, Mrs. G. P. Thorp of Wilmington, and the guests of Mrs. W. H. Meyers, Mrs. Walter A. Draper, and Mrs. Antoinette Humphreys Smith, of Cincinnati, Mrs. E. L. McClain arranged a very pleasurable company Thursday afternoon. The hostess was assisted in pouring tea by her attractive daughter, Miss Helen.—Greenfield Republican.

AGED WOMAN ANSWERS CALL

With the breaking dawn of Thursday morning after a vigorous fight for life at the advanced age of 95 years, that was the marvel of all who witnessed it, Mrs. Catherine B. Worthington, widow of the late Jesse J. Worthington, gave up the unequal struggle and in perfect peace entered the eternal realm, at the home of her daughter Mrs. J. D. Post on North Hinde street.

In the death of "Aunt Katie Worthington," as she was more familiarly known, Fayette county loses one of her oldest residents belonging to a leading pioneer family, and, while of those earlier days of quiet manners and quaint speech, one of the most remarkable women of her day and generation. She comes of a long lived family her father David Creamer of his large family only two survive, Mr. Wallace Creamer, having the distinction of being the oldest man living in the county and Mrs. Wm. Reid, of Jeffersonville, mother of Hon. C. A. Reid, who is approaching her ninetyeth year.

Mrs. Worthington was born June the 1st, 1821 and was married in 1841 to Mr. J. J. Worthington, Superintendent of the Washington C. H. Schools for a number of years, and at one time state senator. Of their three children, Lee D. I. Worthington and Mrs. J. D. Post only the daughter survives.

Mrs. Worthington life was most interesting. After a number of years spent in Pittsburgh and New York, he went with her husband, and for the benefit of his health, to the west and among the many interesting experiences of this trip in primitive day one stands out specially the trip from Kansas to the Gulf of Mexico in overland wagon.

Later years of her life passed peacefully at the home of the daughter, where she was doubly happy in the reciprocal affection of two grand children, Mrs. Ed. Leland, now of Boston, and Mr. Claude Post, now of Columbus, Mrs. C. L. Craig of this city, Mr. Jess Worthington and Mr. Ed. Worthington are also grand children.

Two years ago Mrs. Worthington fell and broke her hip Her wonderful recovery and subsequent good health were marvelous. Three weeks ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis and the same indomitable spirit fought for recovery until exhaustion followed. While possessing such strength of will and energy, Mrs. Worthington was a woman of much sweetness of disposition and her bright mind and active interest made her an entertaining companion.

Funeral services will be held at the Post home Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Burial will be made in the Washington cemetery.

BIG DELEGATIONS GO TO COLUMBUS

A half hundred citizens of Jeffersonville and surrounding territory attended the Automobile Show and Farmers' Week in Columbus Thursday.

Most of these citizens went to South Charleston on the morning north bound D. T. & I. train and there boarded the Pennsylvania for Columbus.

Returning the delegation will go to South Charleston by Pennsylvania and the south bound evening train on the D. T. & I. will be held for them at that point.

\$25 RAISED FOR WIDOW FROM WHOM MEAT WAS STOLEN

The spirit of generosity, which has been manifesting itself in many ways in this city during the past few weeks, again came to the forefront Thursday noon, when the sum of \$25 was subscribed in a few minutes to be turned over to Mrs. Geo. W. Lugenbeel and family of four children, from whom their entire meat supply was recently stolen while the husband and father lay a corpse.

The subscription was launched by Supt. Wm. McClain and Hon. J. M. Willis received the money from any one who desired to give, being stationed on the stairway at Memorial Hall, following the noonday luncheon and lecture.

The latest proposal is the raising of a fund to pay as a reward to anyone who will furnish information leading to the capture of the thief who visited the Lugenbeel premises and pilfered the entire meat supply.

CASE CONTINUED

The case of Alis Thabit, charged with taking a sum of money and other articles from his sister-in-law, was continued in Mayor's court from Thursday morning until ten o'clock Friday morning.

There will be a Market at Hughey's Confectionery Saturday commencing at 10 a. m. Home baking of all kinds.

750 CONVERTS UP TO PRESENT

Up to the present time the total number of converts of the Bromley Evangelistic Meetings total 750, and the number is growing rapidly.

This number includes all converts at the tabernacle meetings and the various meetings held in connection with the tabernacle meetings.

This number is not as large as usual in the Bromley meetings after they have continued, well great results are looked for in the remaining ten day of the campaign.

BRYSON AND HAY SECURE CONTRACT

Bryson and Hay have secured the plumbing, heating and electrical contract for the New Dahl-Campbell building.

This is one of the largest contracts of the kind ever given in the city and a number of out of town firms were competing with the successful local firm.

COME UP LATER

The charges of gambling, lodged against a number of men who were to face Mayor Oster Thursday, will be heard in the near future the cases having been postponed from Thursday morning.

SENSIBLE FOOD BETTER MOLARS

(Associated Press Cable.) Berlin, February 1.—Dr. Schaefer, a noted school physician of the Paulow section of Berlin, who for years has made children's ailments, and particularly the condition of school children's teeth, a specialty, announces that there has been a notable bettering of the dental condition of his hundreds of patients since the war.

He ascribes the remarkable drop in cases to the more sensible food now being eaten, particularly the gradual omission of candy and sweet things from the daily bill of fare of the pupils. A lesser degree of meat eating, and a greatly increased consumption of bread, due to the rigors of the war, are also factors.

WHY THE BABIES DIED IN CINCINNATI THE PAST SUMMER

By Associated Press Dispatch. Cincinnati, February 1.—While more babies died in Cincinnati of intestinal diseases during 1916 than 1915, that condition was caused by the dry, hot

COLONIAL TODAY ONLY

Throughout the world there are thousands of engineers sitting at the throttle-side of locomotives. Men, who in the face of duty know no fear. On their nerve, their judgment and their sense of responsibility, we rely as on no other class of men. The man in the engine cab is a praiseworthy citizen of whom everyone is proud. Wm. A. Brady presents.

HOUSE PETERS

as Jim Lewis, who plays the star part in this great railroad story—

"THE RAIL RIDER"

Proves that the man at the throttle is the man of the hour when he comes face to face with a crisis. Somewhere in this picture you will find a heart-throb that means something to your own life—it may prove the turning point for you.

1st show 6:45; 2nd 8:00. Admission 10c

MONDAY—Henry B. Walthall in "The Truant Soul," in 8 acts. A powerful drama of a hidden menace—Admission 10c and 20c.

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SHOP NIGHT AGAIN FILLS TABERNACLE TO CAPACITY

Delegations Cheered as They March Into Huge Building—Many Respond to Invitation—Dancing, Card Playing and Inactivity of Church Members Receive Attention.

Wednesday night was "shop night" at the tabernacle, and large delegations from various business plants were present with banners and placards, flags and insignia of the various kinds of employment.

Reservations were made for the numerous delegations and when they marched in, delegation after delegation, they were roundly cheered by those who occupied all other seats in the tabernacle except those held for the employees.

Large delegations were present from The Washington Milling Company, The H. G. Coffman Lumber Company, The Inskeep Manufacturing Company, The Washington Manufacturing Company, The P. Hagerty Shoe Company, The Dahl-Campbell Branch, The J. W. Willis Lumber Company, C. H. Brownell Sons.

Each member of the H. G. Coffman delegation bore a large flag; each member of the Washington Manufacturing Company wore a miniature chair tied to their coat lapels, and one man carried a huge picture of Washington draped in flags; those of the Inskeep plant had miniature pines pinned to their coat lapels. A cleverly drawn picture of Dr. Bromley was on one side of a placard carried by the P. Hagerty Shoe Company delegation, and an equally clever drawing of the tabernacle was on the opposite side. The delegation was led by The Washington Band, and a Boy Scout band brought up the rear.

A collection for the Welfare Society was taken and about \$40 realized.

Rev. Hart, of the First Baptist church spoke a few words in praise of Dr. Bromley and party, and announced the chicken dinner for Thursday noon.

Dr. Bromley then plunged into his sermon, but was interrupted by the downpour of rain. However, after a few minutes of singing, he resumed his stirring appeal to the unsaved. He said in part:

"The average man never dreams of what possibilities are in him until they are developed and brought out."

"You gossipers better be careful how you talk about other people. If you were just as anxious to help someone up as to kick them when they are down, this would be a better community. You want to stop some of your gossip; are you going to?"

"Some of you duffers out there are ashamed to get up and do the manly thing by walking down the trail and giving your heart to God."

"Civilization advances in proportion to the advancement of God's commandments."

"They tell me there is booze being sold around here, and if any of you fellows know this to be a fact and know where it is being sold, you should be man enough to see that it is stopped. It is not fair for you to criticize unless you are willing to help the administration catch the booze sellers. I believe if your Mayor and Chief of Police are willing to put an end to the business, and you fellows should be willing to back them up. Why don't you do it?"

"When you set your will against God Almighty you are bound to suffer."

"You backsliders get so tied up with sin that some of you are finding it hard to get back."

Some of you who dance, once would have died before doing such a thing, and if that dead father or mother who was so opposed to dancing knew of what you are doing, they would want to turn over in their graves with shame."

"You wonder where gamblers come from, and why you have gambling. I can tell you—they are started in the home where card playing is tolerated, and in your places of business where punch boards have been in use."

"You may be forever damning your son or daughter by telling them that Bromley is wrong on the card playing and dancing problem."

"Every old hypocrite in the church is going to hell unless he gets right, and you are going to the same hell unless you get right."

"You got no business passing judgment when you are living in a glass house yourself."

"If a lot of you knew you could get saved the day before you die, you would be fools enough to put it off until that time, but you don't know. And I want to tell you one thing, if religion is so bad in this world, remember it is just the same in the next world."

"Some of you folks think I have

ed in the tabernacle, and personal workers were busy. A meeting of the Christians was held immediately after the main meeting came to a close.

ELECTRICAL STORM HERALDS COLD WAVE

About 8:20 Wednesday night the sultry weather resulted in an electrical storm sweeping over this county, lasting nearly 30 minutes, but no damage of consequence was reported.

The electrical storm was followed immediately by much colder weather and the thermometer shows a steady drop from that period until late today.

At two o'clock Wednesday afternoon the mercury was 61 degrees, and at nine o'clock Thursday morning it had reached 25, or a fall of 36 degrees and was still headed downward.

PROGRAM OF THE BROMLEY MEETINGS

THURSDAY—

7:30 p. m. Preaching services. The Business men will attend in a body.

FRIDAY—2:30 p. m. Preaching services followed by Bible study.

7:30 p. m. Preaching services. The grade schools will come in a body. Delegation from Jeffersonville will attend in a body.

SATURDAY—2:30 p. m. Preaching service at the tabernacle.

A great religious parade will be held prior to the service.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.
Assignment of Frank Cabbage & Son.
Notice is hereby given that Frank McCormick has been duly appointed and qualified as Assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Frank Cabbage & Son of Fayette County, Ohio.
Dated this 17th day of January, 1917.

FRANK M. ALLEN,
Judge of the Probate Court,
No. 1972. Fayette County Ohio.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS
Members of Confidence Knight Rank Team will please meet at lodge rooms tonight at 7:30. Refreshments.
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HIGH COST OF LIVING TAKEN UP BY SOLONS

Suffrage Leader Is Wondering if Tricked—Huge Brick Plant for Pen Employees.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Columbus, O., February 1. — Although introduced as a Republican measure in the general assembly, the proposed investigation of the high cost of living passed by the lower House and now up to the State Senate, is expected to receive support of Democrats as well as Republicans in the Senate.

Ohio miners and other labor organizations were first to demand such an investigation and they were getting busy in the legislature today when they learned that an attempt might be made to kill the proposed investigation when it reached the senate.

Representative Nathan Clark of Lebanon, backing the measure, gave some comparative figures on the cost of living now and a year ago in presenting the subject to the House, as evidence that the increase in price was not due to the war but "to some artificial power at work."

Potatoes were selling at \$1.50 a year ago and today they are retailing \$2.60

a bushel," said Judge Clark. "Beans were 19c a pound a year ago and today they are 15c a pound. Flour has advanced fifty per cent.; coal from \$3.50 to \$5.50 a ton; apples from \$1.25 to \$2.50 and \$2.00 a bushel; onions from \$1.25 to \$2.50 a bushel; butter from 34 to 41 cents a pound and cabbage from 5 to 10 cents a pound.

"There has been a steady and unrelenting increase driving toward starvation," Representative Clark asserted.

"If this is due to gathering up the food products of this country to feed the warring nations of Europe thereby driving the poor people of Ohio to starvation, it is about time we were memorializing Congress to place an embargo on the exportation of food stuffs."

Mrs. Harriet Taylor Upton, president of the Ohio Woman's Suffrage association was wondering today, she said whether she was tricked by some clever legislators opposed to suffrage when the suffrage bill was up for final vote before the House elections committee.

At the same time the presidential suffrage bill was up for hearing the committee on codes was meeting in another room to consider the Hoy bill relating to co-guardianship of parents over children. Mrs. Upton was invited to appear before the codes committee. She went reluctantly, preferring to remain on guard at the election committee meeting.

Members of the codes committee heckled her, she said after the meeting, and while she was before that committee the suffrage bill before the elections committee was reported out without recommendation because one of the members was not present. He appeared later, however, and the bill was reconsidered and reported out to the House with the recommendation that it be passed.

Warden Preston E. Thomas has recommended to the legislature that a bill be passed providing for the erection of a \$300,000 brick plant which will give employment to 500 penitentiary prisoners and do away with the population in the prison's idle house. He asserts that 200,000 brick could be manufactured daily, and recommended a site near Athens.

LEGISLATIVE HALLS FILLED

Friends of Organized Labor, Suffrage and Bob White Watch Proceedings.

By Associated Press Dispatch.
Columbus, O., February 1. — Representatives of organized labor, women suffragists and friends of Bob White, including many farmers here attending Farmers' Week at Ohio State University, packed the galleries of the lower house of the General Assembly this afternoon in expectation that measures they are interested in would be voted upon.

Initiated bill No. 1, to exclude private liability insurance companies from competition with the workmen's compensation law, was on the calendar for 2 o'clock this afternoon. This measure is being backed by organized labor. The Reynolds bill to extend presidential suffrage to women was assigned for 2:30 o'clock and the Blausner bill to place quail in the song bird class was a special order for 3 o'clock.

Chances were said by politicians to favor passage of all three of these measures. They all have been reported favorably by committees. Agriculturalists here attending farmers' week at Ohio State university have practically insured the passage of the quail bill, it is said. Many of them appeared on the streets and about the state capital wearing badges labeled "Save Our Quail." L. J. Taber, master of the state grange said 90 per cent of the rural population of Ohio favored the bill to place the quail on the song bird list.

If suffragists succeed in the House in getting the Reynolds presidential suffrage bill through it is expected to have easy sailing when it reaches the Senate, where 22 votes are claimed for it. It is said that Governor Cox will not veto the measure.

A suit is now pending in the Ohio Supreme Court in a case from East Cleveland which may test the constitutionality of the measure. In this case, East Cleveland adopted a home rule charter giving women the right to vote and the supreme court has not yet passed upon the question. If the court upholds the right of women to vote for officers not provided for in the constitution, opponents of suffrage may propose a referendum on the suffrage bill, it is said, submitting it to the voters in November.

Governor Cox has gone on record as favoring an amendment to the Ohio election laws providing for an earlier count of the ballots so that the results in the state may become known earlier on election night.

In an address before members of the Associated Ohio Dailies here yesterday, the governor suggested that election officials and tabulators tabulate their returns three or four times during election day so that the general result may be known by eight o'clock in the evening instead of "about Christmas time."

In the Probate Court of Fayette County, Ohio.

The State of Ohio, Fayette County, ss. To whom it may concern:— Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said Court.

By Administrators of 1885 L. J. Gordon 1894 Parthena Rankin

By Administratrix of 1762 Warren L. Smith.

By Executors of 1827 John Rook

By Trustees of 1644 Ethel D. Campbell. 1011 Donald Ellis Borden.

By Guardians of 994 Walter D. Jones et al.

All persons interested in said Accounts or Trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 3rd day of March, 1917 at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the Court may designate.

FRANK M. ALLEN, Probate Judge.

January 25, 1917.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Adah M. Shoop deceased. Notice is hereby given that Mabel S. Bishop has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of Adah M. Shoop, late of Fayette County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 13th day of January, 1917.

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NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of John Hartman, deceased. Notice is hereby given that J. M. Hartman has been duly appointed and qualified as Administrator of the estate of John Hartman, late of Fayette county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 20th day of January, 1917.

FRANK M. ALLEN, Judge of the Probate Court, No. 1973. Fayette County, Ohio.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Theodore M. Ustick, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Regina U. Staubus, has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of Theodore M. Ustick, late of Fayette county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 22 day of January, 1917.

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Notice to Petitioners and Abutting Property Owners on Inter-County Highway No. 259 in Green Township, Fayette County, and Fairfield Township, Highland County.

Petitioners will be heard by the State Highway Commissioner at the Probate Court Room of Fayette county, Washington C. H., Ohio, Tuesday, February 12, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m. for and against a change in location of a portion of the Hillsboro-Washington Road, I. C. H. No. 259, in Green Township, Fayette County and Fairfield Township, Highland County, from the established route to the following proposed route:

Beginning at the junction of a public road with the Cincinnati-Chillicothe Road, Inter-County Highway No. 8, about three-quarters of a mile northeast of the center of the Village of Leesburg, thence northeasterly along said public road through Highland County, and along what is designated as the Stafford Road No. 3 in Fayette County, through the Village of Beuna Vista, to where said Stafford Road terminates at a Junction with the Hillsboro-Washington Road, Inter-County Highway No. 259.

CLINTON COWEN, thut3 State Highway Commissioner.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of W. R. Staubus, deceased. Notice is hereby given that Regina U. Staubus has been duly appointed and qualified as Administratrix of the estate of W. R. Staubus, late of Fayette county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 22 day of January, 1917.

FRANK M. ALLEN, Judge of the Probate Court, No. 1975. Fayette County, Ohio.

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